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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES
DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)
CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371**

U.S. APPLICATION NO. (IF KNOWN, SEE 37 CFR

09/341079INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.
PCT/US98/00246INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE
02.01.98PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED
02.01.97

TITLE OF INVENTION

STABILIZATION OF TRIPLEXES BY WATER STRUCTURE-MAKING SUBSTANCES

APPLICANT(S) FOR DO EO US

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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1. This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2. This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).
4. A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.
5. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c) (2))
 - a. is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. has been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6. A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
7. A copy of the International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210).
8. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3))
 - a. are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. have been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - d. have not been made and will not be made.
9. A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
10. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)).
11. A copy of the International Preliminary Examination Report (PCT/IPEA/409).
12. A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).

Items 13 to 18 below concern document(s) or information included:

13. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
14. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
15. A **FIRST** preliminary amendment.
- A **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** preliminary amendment.
16. A substitute specification.
17. A ^{new} ~~or original~~ power of attorney and/or address letter.
18. Certificate of Mailing by Express Mail
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20. The following fees are submitted:

BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 CFR 1.492 (a) (1) - (5)) :

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Search Report has been prepared by the EPO or JPO	\$930.00
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CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	
Total claims	32 - 20 =	12	x \$22.00	\$264.00
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TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =**\$984.00**

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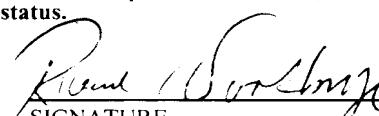
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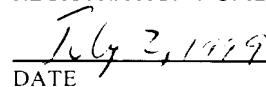
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Title: STABILIZATION OF TRIPLEXES BY WATER STRUCTURE-MAKING SUBSTANCES

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Type of Documents:

1. PCT National Phase Entry Transmittal Letter (original and copy);
2. International Application Published Under the PCT, Publication No. WO 98/29428, pages numbered 1 - 30;
3. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney consisting of four (4) pages;
4. Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity (2 pages);
5. International Preliminary Examination Report consisting of three (3) pages;
6. International Search Report (2 pages);
7. Our check in the sum of \$492.00 to cover the national filing fee;
8. Form PTO 1449 Information Disclosure Citation together with five references;
9. This "Express Mail" Certificate; and,
10. Acknowledgment Post Card.

I hereby certify that the enclosed documents are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Patent and Trademark Office, Box PCT, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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